



Did You Know?

It's spring cleaning time and that applies to your child support case as well. Contact your caseworker if there is any change or new information regarding your or the other parent's circumstances. This might include changes in

income, employment status, address, visitation, etc.

Having up-to-date information allows the caseworker to ensure that your order accurately reflects the current status for both parents. In addition, early and continued contact with our staff can give you a better understanding of the child support process.

There are many other benefits in having a working relationship with your caseworker. *Click here to learn more* and... stay in touch!

Free Tax Assistance Available

The IRS has free programs available to help taxpayers who qualify to file electronically their Federal and State 2013 returns. The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program is offered by IRS-certified volunteers throughout the community.

They help prepare and submit electronic tax filings for taxpayers who make \$51,000 or less a year and need assistance to prepare their tax returns. These volunteers inform taxpayers about special tax credits that they may qualify for, such as Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC).

Click here for further information on the VITA program and locations.

San Diego DCSS Honored...Once Again

For the third time in four years, the County of San Diego DCSS has been honored as both the "Most Improved" and "Top Overall Performer" among very large county child support services departments in the state. The awards were announced at the annual California Child Support Directors Association meeting in Sacramento.



Tax Refunds May Be Intercepted

If you owe past due child support and are eligible for a federal or state tax refund, you could receive a tax intercept notice from the IRS and/or the Franchise Tax Board (FTB). It will state the amount

of your refund that will be intercepted and sent to the Department of Child Support Services to apply towards your child support arrears.

Click here for more information or answers to FAQs.



Learning to Work Together

The "For Our Children" video features real-life interviews as to the impact of parental discord on children and ways

in which parents can learn to work together, in spite of not being together, for the sake of their kids. It was produced by the Office of the Attorney General of Texas Division for Families and Children on the importance of shared parenting.

Click here or on the video thumbnail to play.



Our Mission:

To enhance the lives and well-being of children and promote family self-sufficiency by establishing and enforcing support orders.

Office Locations:

Downtown Courthouse 220 West Broadway, San Diego, CA 92101 Open 7:30 AM – 4:00 PM, Monday - Friday www.sandiegochildsupport.org

North Central Family Resource Center 5055 Ruffin Road, San Diego, CA 92123 Open 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday - Friday (Accepts credit card payments only) Vista Courthouse Complex 325 South Melrose Dr., Vista, CA 92081 Open 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM, Monday - Friday (Enter through Traffic Court Annex by 3:30 PM)